

General Assembly

Committee Bill No. 6570

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LCO No. **5554**\*05554HB06570ENV\*

Referred to Committee on Environment

Introduced by: (ENV)

## AN ACT BANNING THE SALE OR USE OF COMPUTER SOFTWARE OR SERVICES TO REMOTELY OPERATE WEAPONS TO HUNT ANIMALS OR BIRDS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (Effective October 1, 2007) (a) No person shall
- 2 operate, provide, sell, use or offer to operate, provide, sell or use any
- computer software or service in this state that allows a person, when
- 4 not physically present, to remotely control a firearm or weapon to hunt
- 5 a live animal or bird.
- 6 (b) A violation of subsection (a) of this section shall be a Class A misdemeanor.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	October 1, 2007	New section

## Statement of Purpose:

To prevent the sale and use of remotely operated devices to manipulate weapons to hunt live animals or birds.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]

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